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Dear Sir:

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136**

Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of **two (2) month(s)** to respond to the office letter mailed in the above-referenced case on **04/01/2003**, for which a 3-month shortened statutory period was set to expire on **07/01/2003**. This requested extension extends the time for response to **09/01/2003**.

- The petitioner is an established small entity.
- A check for \$580.00 is enclosed for the RCE fee (375.00) and the extension fee (205.00).

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